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C. C. MORSE & CO.  
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CALIFORNIA

# C. C. MORSE & CO'S NEW ANEMONES

Photographed on Our Front Cover

Whenever we come across a handsome new flower, or one which is comparatively little known and which is of great beauty, our desire is always to procure it for our customers. We want them—we want you—to know of it.

Such a flower is the **Anemone**. Do you know it? Do you know it when it is well grown? It has stems twelve inches tall; stout, stiff stalks and with most beautiful flowers, brilliant in color—buff, blue, and scarlet, and wonderfully shaded. We want you to become acquainted with this flower, for the acquaintance will give you pleasure and make your garden admired by your neighbors. Perhaps you have already seen some and have asked what those “blue poppies” were which flowered in April. Anyway, won’t you try some Anemones in your garden this year, as well as the usual Hyacinths, Tulips, Iris and Daffodils. A good selection of the very finest is offered below. For culture: choose preferably a well drained, light loamy soil; plant 1½ inches deep. With care, the bulbs will last and flower for years.

## DOUBLE POPPY ANEMONES

	Per Doz.	Per 100	(Postage, 10c per 100 additional)
<b>Ceres</b> , White delicately tinted blush.....	\$ .40	\$2.50	
<b>King of the Blues</b> , A fine deep blue.....	.40	2.50	Per Doz. Per 100
<b>Feu Superbe</b> , Beautiful Scarlet.....	.45	3.25	\$ .35 \$2.00
<b>Le Verrier</b> , Cherry red.....	.40	2.50	.35 2.00
<b>Rose Blanche</b> , Pink and White.....	.40	2.50	Double Scarlet, mixed .....
<b>Thalia</b> , White striped rose.....	.40	2.50	Double White, mixed .....
			Double Mixed, as it comes from the fields .....
			.35 2.00
			.25 1.50

## SINGLE POPPY ANEMONES

	Per 500	Per 500	Per 500
	Per doz.	Per 100	Pkg.
<b>Single Blue</b> .....	\$ .20	\$1.25	\$5.50
<b>Single Scarlet</b> .....	.20	1.25	5.50
			Single White .....
			\$ .20 \$1.00 \$4.50
			Single Mixed, as it comes.....
			.20 1.00 3.75

No other house in America is offering such an assortment of these fine flowers, and in order that you can try each sort and get a “rainbow” bed, we will make up the following

## “UNUSUAL ANEMONE” COLLECTION

5 Bulbs each of 6 named Double Anemones .....	30 bulbs
5 Bulbs each of 4 mixed Double Anemones .....	20 bulbs
25 Bulbs each of Single Blue, Single White and Single Scarlet .....	75 bulbs
In all, 125 finest Anemones of every shade, for.....	\$1.95 Postage, additional, 10c.

## “1911 Best” BULB COLLECTION

of Hardy Bulbs for Garden Culture, containing only the best sorts, 136 Bulbs for \$2.10; postage additional, 40c. Put this Special Collection in with your order for other bulbs and Sweet Peas, and have all come by express.

6 Named Hyacinths, assorted;	10 Narcissus Poets;	1 Hardy Lily Bulb (our selection);
5 Trumpet Daffodils;	12 Ranunculus;	8 Hyacinths, all colors;
15 Long Stem Tulips, mixed;	12 Ixias, mixed;	12 Gladiolus, Early Flowering, mixed;
20 Spanish Iris, mixed colors;	15 Crocus, mixed;	10 Anemones, Single, mixed;
		10 Sparaxis.

136 of our best bulbs.....\$2.10

We wish to remind you of the few usual requests which help us so much in our business:

### Please Order Early

The best time is just as soon as this catalogue reaches you. The bulbs may not have arrived by then, but your order will be given immediate attention, and be filled just as soon as the stock arrives. At the first of the season there are no sorts sold out, and besides the bulbs flower better when planted early.

### New Varieties

Beside the Anemones listed above, there are new Ranunculus and new Long Stemmed Tulips, listed in order. And may we say again that our bulbs are fine, and do give satisfaction.

### Name and Address

Please be sure to write plainly your full name and address, when sending us your order and remittance. Send also the name of the nearest express office, if bulbs are to come that way, when it differs from the postoffice. We send bulbs by express, unless postage for the different sorts as shown in the catalogue, accompanies the order.

### Non-Warranty

Most of the failures with seeds, plants and bulbs are due to causes entirely beyond our control, such as unfavorable weather, too deep or too shallow planting, slugs, etc., therefore C. C. Morse & Co. give no warranty, express or implied, as to description, purity, productiveness, or any other matter of any seeds, plants, bulbs, etc., they send out, and will be in no way responsible for the crop; if the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms they are to be returned at once.

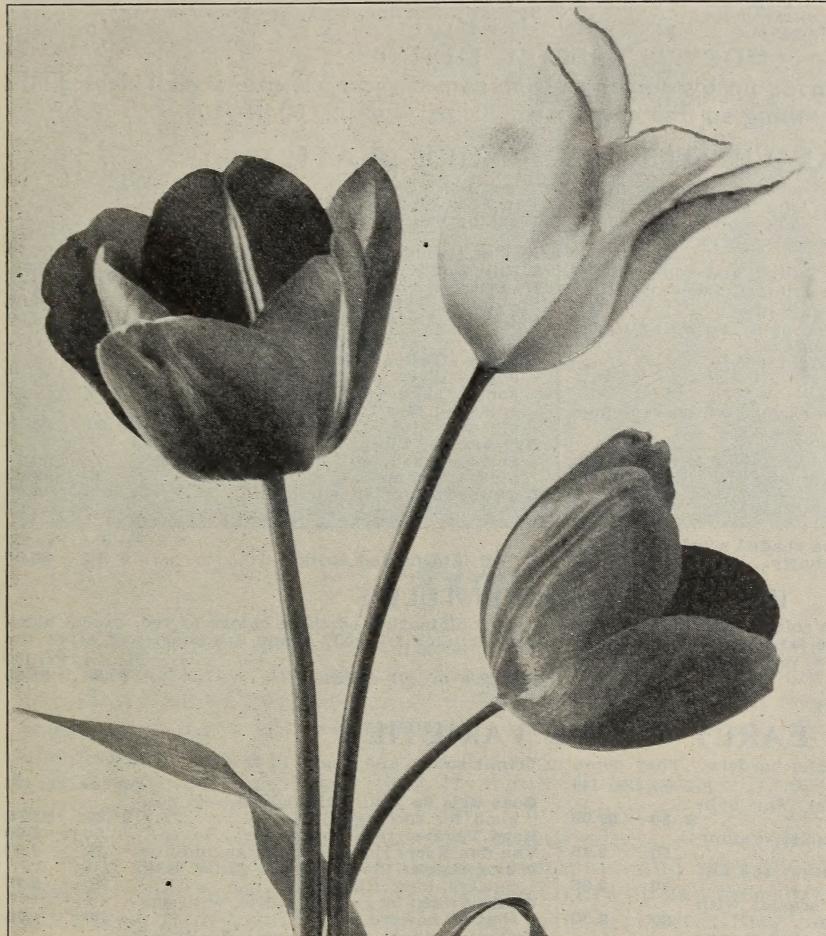
# "Morse's Special Tulips" for California

Can you imagine any flowers more bright and dazzling than a bed of tulips in the sun on a warm spring day? Let us tell you which ones do the best, and which colors we should choose, for others have told us of their success with them. First, then, for out-of-door beds and for Tulips with long stems, plant those listed on this page as Morse's Special Tulips for California, and also Darwin Tulips.

The brightest red Tulip is *Gesneriana Major*, and it's a beauty; the finest yellows are *Parisian Yellow*, *Retroflexa*, and *Bouton d'Or*, in the order named; for pink, *Maiden's Blush* and *Isabella*. Try the effect of a bed of a hundred blossoms planted closely.

The culture is easy; the secret is to have rich soil well drained; use rotted manure or bone meal to give richness, and plant the bulb in sand if the ground is heavy and wet. Plant the bulbs as early as possible and about 4 inches deep. Water sparingly during the winter, but give plenty as the buds develop, and for several weeks after flowering.

(If Tulips are wanted by mail, add 5c per dozen; 35c per hundred for postage.)



Three of "Morse's Special Tulips"; Long Stemmed.  
Darwin **Mrs. Krelage**, Maiden's **Blush**, and **Bouton d'Or**.

## Single

Per doz. Per 100

<b>Gesneriana Major:</b> the most brilliant and dazzling crimson with black center, Has fine large blossoms with long stems. Always does well when planted outside, and is tremendously handsome. Morse's stock of this is best... \$ .30	\$ 2.00
<b>Beauty of America:</b> cream color changing slightly pink . . . . .	.40 2.75
<b>Bridesmaid:</b> cherry pink, striped scarlet and violet . . . . .	.30 2.00
<b>Bouton d'Or:</b> pure golden yellow globe-shaped flowers, very long stems.....	.30 2.00
<b>Caledonia:</b> orange scarlet, greenish black center, fine bold flower . . . . .	.50 3.50
<b>Fulgens:</b> brilliant crimson, creamy white center, reflex petals, long stems.....	.40 2.50
<b>Gesneriana Spathulata:</b> or crimson, see <i>Gesneriana Major</i> above.	
<b>Gesneriana Lutea:</b> a beautiful golden yellow <i>Gesneriana</i> Tulip—large flowers with long stems.....	.40 3.00

	Per doz.	Per 100
<b>Gesneriana Aurantiaca:</b> orange-red tulip of the fine <i>Gesneriana</i> form.....	\$ .40	\$ 3.00
<b>Gesneriana Rosea:</b> rosy carmine with black center, long stems .....	.40	2.50
<b>Golden Crown:</b> large golden yellow—splendid .....	.25	1.75
<b>Golden Eagle:</b> bright golden yellow—handsome .....	.30	2.00
<b>Isabella or Blushing Bride:</b> creamy white and pink, changing darker rose center, marked peacock blue .....	.35	2.25
<b>La Merveille:</b> a large tulip of a striking color, being salmony-rose overlaid with orange-red .....	.35	2.25
<b>La Reeve:</b> large handsome flowers of a rosy-buff tone with yellow base. (Received an award of merit).....	.75	....
<b>Macropila:</b> sweet scented, large crimson scarlet, black and yellow center..	.30	2.00
<b>Maiden's Blush:</b> pure white, edged rose, long pointed fine flowers; a good pink	.30	2.00

# Morse's Special Tulips—Continued

	Per doz.	Per 100	Per doz.	Per 100
<b>McKinley:</b> pure white flower	\$ .55	\$4.00	<b>Salmon Queen (Inglescombe Pink):</b> a beautiful blending of buff and salmon pink; a large handsome tulip	\$.50 \$3.50
<b>Mrs. Moon:</b> an immense tulip of a rich orange yellow	.80	6.00	<b>Striped Beauty:</b> rose color, flaked deep crimson and white	.50 4.00
<b>Parisian White (La Candeur):</b> pure white changing to silvery-pink; beautiful goblet form	.35	2.50	<b>Viridiflora:</b> the Green Tulip, edged yellow; 6c each	.60
<b>Parisian Yellow:</b> large handsome clear yellow flowers with pointed petals	.40	3.00	<b>Special Collection:</b> 2 each of above sorts (44 bulbs)	1.75
<b>Retroflexa Yellow:</b> a fine yellow color with petals gracefully bending out	.30	2.25		

## "MORSE'S SPECIAL MIXED"

Late Mixed Tulips, made up by ourselves from named varieties, embrace all classes late sorts, with all colors; nothing so fine elsewhere; 30c per doz.; \$2.00 per 100.

## DARWIN TULIPS—SINGLE—LATE

This variety has always long stems and finely formed cup-shaped flowers. The colorings include rich shades of red, purple and violet, as well as the lighter shades.

Every garden needs some Tulips, and none will be more satisfactory than these fine tall Darwin Tulips.

**Asa Gray:** deep carmine, large flower.

**Clara Butt:** a beautiful salmon pink. Award of Merit.

**Donders:** vermilion, violet center.

**Europe:** salmon scarlet, a bright shade.

**General de Cordon:** scarlet.

**Giovanni:** carmine rose, fine.

**Glow:** scarlet, dark blue center zoned white, very fine.

**Grand Monarque:** purple or plum color.

**Gustav Dore:** bright pink.

**Margaret:** lovely blush pink. Award of Merit, R.H.S.

**Mrs. Krelage:** rosy pink; color of Papa Gontier rose.

**Mrs. Potter Palmer:** purple.

**Olga:** light carmine pink.

**Painted Lady:** creamy white.

**Pride of Harlem:** salmon rose shaded scarlet. Award.

**The Sultan:** maroon black, showy.

65c per doz.; \$4.75 per 100.

**Van Poortvliet:** glowing deep red.

**Wedding Veil:** silvery lilac, black anthers.

Per doz. Per 100

Any of the fine named Darwin Tulips at \$ .65 \$4.75

**2 Bulbs of each of above sorts (36 bulbs) for \$2.00.**

Named Darwin Tulips, our selection..... .55 4.25

Special collection 10 fine sorts..... .55 4.00

**Splendid Mixture of Darwin's.** .30 2.00

## MIXED TULIPS—Late

**Bizarre Tulips:** a very striking and showy class of tulips. The ground is some shade of yellow—feathered, splashed or striped with crimson, purple or white

..... .30 \$2.00

**Bloemen Tulips:** brilliantly striped and splashed with blue, lilac, crimson, pink or scarlet on white ground..... .30 2.00

**Darwin Tulips:** all sorts..... .30 2.00

## Morse's Special Mixed

Per doz. Per 100

Of all late named sorts..... \$.30 \$2.00

## PARROT OR DRAGON TULIPS

These are in very bright colors, each Tulip having some combination of three colors of red, green, black and yellow. The flowers are large and the petals are deeply cut or fringed; stems are short and often the flowers droop. They make a very bright border.

Per doz. Per 100

Mixture of all colors ..... \$.25 \$1.50

## EARLY SINGLE VARIETIES

For pots, beds and borders. They come in bright colors and bloom in March.

Per doz. Per 100

**Artus:** bright red or scarlet, fine bold flowers ..... \$.30 \$2.00

**Belle Alliance:** brilliant scarlet, yellow base ..... .50 3.75

**Chrysolora:** pure golden yellow, the finest yellow for bedding ..... .30 2.00

**Duchesse de Parma:** orange scarlet with yellow edge, fine and large ..... .30 2.00

**Joost von Vondel:** deep cherry red, feathered white ..... .60 4.50

**Kaiser Kroon:** crimson scarlet with yellow margin ..... .40 2.75

**La Reine (Queen Victoria):** white, with faint tint of pink, splendid for forcing and bedding ..... .25 1.75

**Pottebakker:** Yellow—bright yellow, fine and large, very popular ..... .50 3.75

**Pottebakker:** White—pure white, large showy blossoms ..... .40 2.50

**Pottebakker:** Scarlet—bright scarlet, fine for bedding ..... .40 3.00

**Prince of Austria:** sweet scented, brilliant orange scarlet, long stems ..... .45 3.00

**Prosperpine:** glossy carmine rose, silky and effective ..... .60 4.25

**Rosa Mundi:** rose with white feather centering each petal ..... .30 2.00

Per doz. Per 100

**Rose Gris de Lin:** white edged with rose, good for forcing ..... .30 \$1.75

**Rose Tendre:** rose and white ..... .50 4.00

**Van der Neer:** rich violet, large and fine ..... .70 5.00

**White Hawk:** the best pure white, large flowers, long stiff stems ..... .40 2.75

**White Swan:** large pure white, with egg-shaped flowers ..... .30 1.75

**Yellow Prince:** golden yellow, lightly striped red; large and sweet scented ..... .30 2.00

Collection of above (2 each, 38 bulbs) for \$1.40.

**Splendid Mixture of Single Tulips:** good portions of various colors. 20c per doz.; \$1.25 per 100; \$10.00 per 1000.

**Morse's Special Early Mixture** of named sorts is made up by ourselves of our best named tulips, and contains a great many varieties ..... .30 2.00

**Duc Van Thol:** very early, dwarf variety ..... .40 2.50

“ “ “ Crimson ..... .40 2.50

“ “ “ Gold Striped ..... .40 2.50

“ “ “ Rose ..... .40 2.50

“ “ “ Scarlet ..... .40 2.50

“ “ “ Vermilion ..... .40 2.50

“ “ “ White ..... .40 2.50

“ “ “ Yellow ..... .40 2.50

“ “ “ Mixed ..... .40 2.50

## EARLY DOUBLE TULIPS

Per doz. Per 100

**Duke of York:** carmine rose, edged white ..... \$.30 \$1.75

**Marriage de Ma Fille:** late flowering rose and white splashed, very large ..... .55 4.40

**Ex Rubrorum:** bright crimson scarlet, fine for bedding ..... .45 2.75

**Rose Blanche:** the best double pure white large ..... .30 1.75

Per doz. Per 100

**La Candeur:** pure white, fine for bedding ..... \$.35 \$2.50

**Tournesol:** red edged yellow, very fine and showy ..... .40 3.00

**Tournesol Yellow:** bright yellow, shaded orange, brilliant ..... .45 2.75

**Morse's Double Mixture** of named sorts... .30 2.00

**Splendid Mixture** of double varieties... .25 1.50



## Hyacinths

Hyacinths come in a wide range of colors from purest white, through blush pink to deep pink, and dark red; and from light azure through shades of blue to violet, as well as in shades of light yellow and apricot. No other spring bulbous flowers have such delightful fragrance as have Hyacinths, and this quality helps to make them one of the most popular flowers.

For out-of-door growing, plant Hyacinths in November, if possible, although firm bulbs will bloom well if set out much later. The proper depth to plant is shown on the diagram on the inside of the back cover; for bedding effects, set 6 inches apart. The soil should be made rich with a liberal mulching of manure, and sand should be added if the soil is heavy. After flowering, allow the leaves to dry up and then lift the bulbs in midsummer; store them in dry soil in a cool dry place, and very often they can be used again.

Our named varieties of Hyacinths are all of first size, and are fine, large, healthy bulbs, and will produce the very finest flowers. (If ordered by mail, add 15c per dozen for postage.)

### Named Varieties of Hyacinths

Extra large bulbs for flowering in glasses, and for growing outside.

Collection of 12 named varieties, \$1.25 per doz. Mixture of all varieties, \$1.25 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

#### SINGLE BLUE

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
<b>Chas. Dickens:</b> dark blue.....	\$ .15	\$1.50	\$12.00
<b>Czar Peter:</b> fine light porcelain blue.....	.15	1.75	13.00
<b>Grand Lilas:</b> blue, lilac shaded..	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Grand Maitre:</b> deep porcelain blue.....	.12	1.25	10.00
<b>King of the Blues:</b> dark blue..	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Leonidas:</b> light blue, large bells	.12	1.25	10.00
<b>Marie:</b> dark blue, fine spike....	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Queen of the Blues:</b> azure blue..	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Schotel:</b> lavender, fine large spike .....	.12	1.25	10.00

#### SINGLE WHITE

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
<b>Alba Superbissima:</b> white, large bells .....	\$ .15	\$1.50	\$12.00
<b>Baroness Van Thuyll:</b> white, small bells .....	.12	1.15	9.00
<b>Blancheur à Merveille:</b> Early large, pure white .....	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>L'Innocence:</b> large truss of pure white .....	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Mont Blanc:</b> a splendid pure white .....	.15	1.75	13.00
<b>Mammoth:</b> bluish white .....	.12	1.30	10.00
<b>Voltaire:</b> bluish pink .....	.15	1.50	12.00

# Hyacinths—Continued

(Postage 15c per doz. additional.)

## SINGLE RED, ROSE AND PINK

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
<b>Amy:</b> sweet scented bright carmine	\$ .12	\$1.25	\$10.00
<b>Cosmos:</b> dark pink, large spike	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Fabio:</b> pink striped carmine	.12	1.25	10.00
<b>Gertrude:</b> pink, very fine and popular	.12	1.25	10.00
<b>General Pelissier:</b> deep crimson	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Gigantea:</b> fine true pink, many flowerets	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Homerus:</b> reddish pink	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Moreno:</b> fine waxy, clear pink	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Robert Steiger:</b> deep crimson	.10	1.15	9.00
<b>Roi des Belges:</b> deep crimson scarlet	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Rosea Maxima:</b> delicate large pink	.15	1.50	12.00

## SINGLE YELLOW

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
<b>Bird of Paradise:</b> beautiful citron yellow	\$ .15	\$1.50	\$12.00
<b>Herman:</b> orange yellow	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Hercine:</b> bright citron yellow tips	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>King of the Yellows:</b> golden yellow	.18	1.75	15.00
<b>Sonora:</b> buff color, tinted, large	.15	1.50	12.00

## DOUBLE BLUE

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
<b>Blocksburg:</b> bright blue	\$ .15	\$1.50	\$12.00
<b>General Antink:</b> light blue, forces early	.12	1.25	10.00
<b>Mignon de Dryphout:</b> light blue shaded	.12	1.25	10.00
<b>Othello:</b> violet black	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>Prince of Saxe Weimar:</b> dark blue, large spike	.12	1.25	10.00

## DOUBLE WHITE

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
<b>Bouquet Royal:</b> white, yellow center	\$ .12	\$1.25	\$10.00
<b>Grand Vainqueur:</b> pure white, fine	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>La Tour D'Avrigne:</b> very large, pure white	.15	1.50	12.00
<b>La Virginite:</b> bluish white, very fine	.12	1.25	10.00
<b>Non Plus Ultra:</b> bluish pink	.12	1.15	9.00
<b>Prince of Waterloo:</b> pure white	.15	1.50	12.00

# Bedding Hyacinths

## MIXED COLORS

(If wanted by mail, add 12c per doz. for postage.)

These are good strong bulbs and will form good strong flowers. Each year we import thousands of these bulbs for bedding and general culture. We think the single sorts are slightly to be preferred to the double, but that is a matter for your own choice.

### SINGLE VARIETIES Per doz. Per 100

Light blue shades mixed	\$.55	\$4.25
Dark blue shades mixed	.55	4.25
Dark red shades mixed	.55	4.25
Rose and pink shades mixed	.55	4.25
White shades mixed	.55	4.25
Blush white shades mixed	.55	4.25
Yellow shades mixed	.60	4.50
All colors mixed	Per 1000, \$35.00;	.50 4.00

### DOUBLE VARIETIES Per doz. Per 100

Light blue shades mixed	\$.60	\$4.50
Dark blue shades mixed	.60	4.50
Dark red shades mixed	.60	4.50
Rose and pink shades mixed	.60	4.50
White shades mixed	.60	4.50
Blush white shades mixed	.60	4.50
Yellow shades mixed	.65	4.75
All colors mixed	.55	4.25

## DOUBLE YELLOW

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
<b>Bouquet D'Orange:</b> buff, striped pink		\$ .15	\$1.50 \$12.00
<b>Goethe:</b> light salmon		.15	1.50 12.00
<b>Minerva:</b> orange		.15	1.50 12.00
<b>Jaune Supreme:</b> deep yellow, good		.15	1.50 12.00

## DOUBLE RED

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
<b>Bouquet Tendre:</b> deep carmine, good spike		.12	\$1.25 \$10.00
<b>Czar Nicholas:</b> light rose, very large		.12	1.25 10.00
<b>Grootvoorst:</b> delicate peach blossom		.15	1.50 12.00
<b>Noble par Merite:</b> deep rose		.15	1.50 12.00

## Dutch Roman Hyacinths

Known also as Miniature Hyacinths

	Per doz.	Per 100
White	\$.40	\$3.00
Creamy White	.40	3.00
Dark Red	.40	3.00
Pink	.40	3.00
Dark Blue	.40	3.00
Light Blue	.40	3.00
All above colors mixed	.40	3.00

## French Roman Hyacinths

These throw three or four slender spikes from which hang the dainty flowerets. They are extremely early and are extensively used for forcing either indoors or out-of-doors.

	Each	Per doz.	Per 100
Pure White	\$.05	\$.50	\$3.75
Pure White, extra sized	.07	.65	5.00
Blue	.05	.50	3.75
Pink	.05	.50	3.75

## SEPARATE COLORS AND SORTS

(If wanted by mail, add 12c per doz. for postage)

These make the ideal bedding Hyacinths, for it is a pleasure to have all of the pinks of one shade, and all of the blues to match exactly. Although these are not so large as our fine first size, still by many they are listed as firsts, and they certainly are excellent bedders.

### INTERMEDIATE SIZE—SINGLE

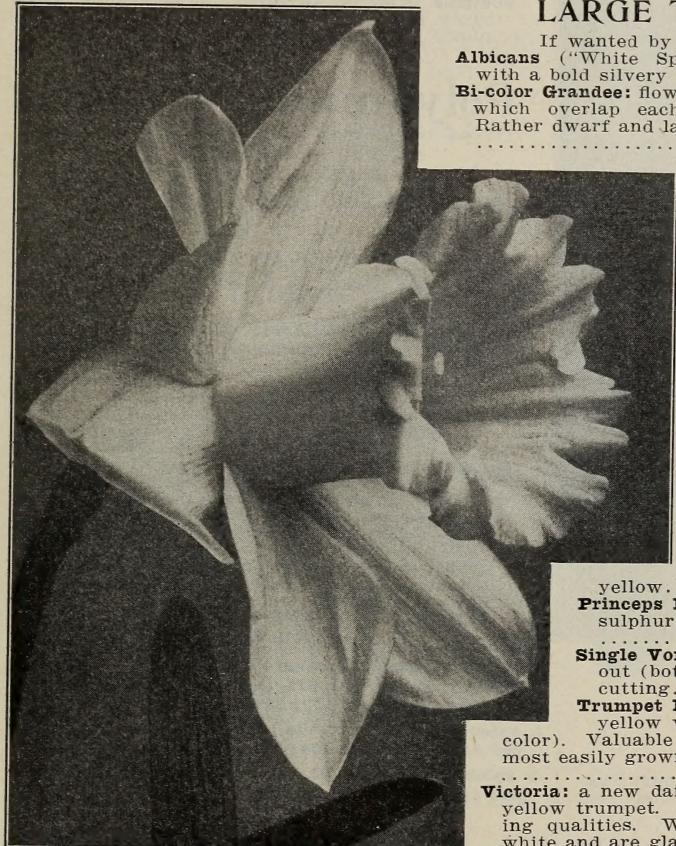
	Per doz.	Per 100
Pink (Gertrude)	\$.80	\$6.00
Blush Pink (Gigantea)	.80	6.00
Crimson Red (Roi des Belges)	.80	6.00
White (Alba Superbissima)	.80	6.00
White (La Grandesse)	.80	6.00
White (Mme. Van der Hoop)	.80	6.00
Light Porcelain Blue (Czar Peter)	.80	6.00
Dark Porcelain Blue (Grand Maitre)	.80	6.00
Azure Blue (Queen of the Blues)	.80	6.00
Dark Blue (King of the Blues)	.80	6.00

# Daffodils

What a cheerful sight a bed of Daffodils is! As they stand in the garden, erect but nodding, their wealth of golden color reflects the sunshine poured on them in days past. Everybody loves daffodils; they are so chaste, so early to bloom and so easy to have always in the garden. Besides the large yellow trumpet sorts, the Double Daffodils and the Poet's Narcissus are lovely too. Of the crown type, Barrii Conspicuous, Sir Watkin and Mrs. Langtry are all fine. The Polyanthus type are all extremely early and fragrant.

**Plant Daffodils** in October and November out in the open ground in good soil and let them remain from year to year. The bulbous roots will multiply and send up fine long flower stems every spring. Be sure to keep the ground moist during the growing season if season is dry.

They can also be grown easily in pots, putting 4 or 5 bulbs into a 5-inch pot and keep well watered.



**Emperor**

The best Single Trumpet Daffodil

## DOUBLE DAFFODILS

These are all easily grown and are very pretty. (If wanted by mail add 10c per doz. for postage.)

**Alba Plena Odorata** (the double White Poet's Narcissus or Gardenia Daffodil): sweet scented, very double and late. For outdoor culture only; does not force well. .... 3c each; 20c per doz.; \$1.25 per 100

**Incomparable** (Butter and Eggs): rich yellow and orange, fine for either forcing or outdoors. ....

.... 4c each; 35c per doz.; \$2.00 per 100

**Orange Phoenix** (Eggs and Bacon): very large, double, white, and orange, very beautiful, fine for pot culture. .... 5c each; 35c per doz.; \$2.00 per 100

## CROWN DAFFODILS

**Barrii Conspicuous**: broad yellow perianth with a short, broad crown edged with orange-scarlet; a fine bold flower. Should be grown in quantity. ....

.... 3c each; 25c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100

**Cynosure**: sulphur yellow perianth; yellow cup, stained with orange, scarlet; very showy, fine for cutting. .... 3c each; 25c per doz.; \$1.50 per 100

**Sir Watkin**: a giant flowering variety, the blossoms sometimes measuring 5½ inches in diameter. The perianth is sulphur yellow; the cup deep golden

## Chalice Cup or Star

yellow. An old variety, still very popular. ....

.... 5c each; 50c per doz.; \$3.25 per 100

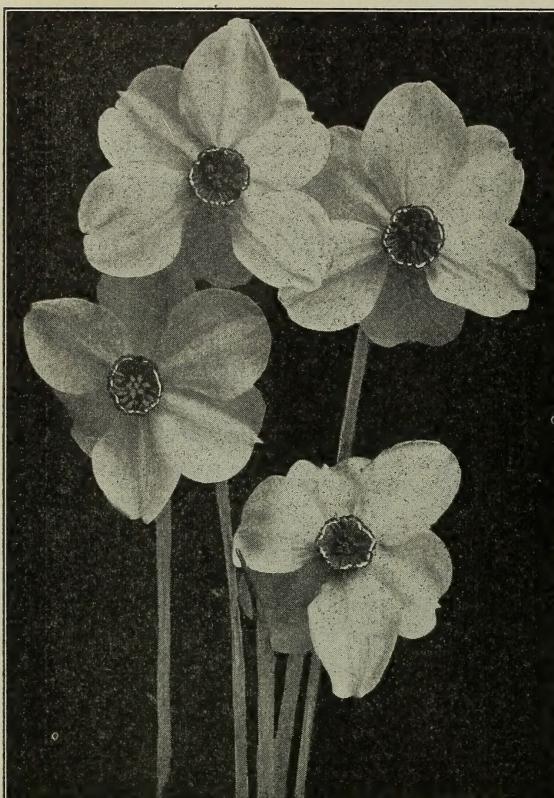
**Stella**: star-shaped, one of the first to bloom; flowers white with yellow cup; large and very free blooming. .... 3c each; 25c per doz.; \$1.25 per 100

**Mrs. Langtry**: pure white perianth, broad and overlapping; cup white edged, bright canary yellow, a fine art flower and very prolific. On account of its low price is largely used for naturalizing. ....

.... 3c each; 30c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100

**Poeticus Narcissus**

(If wanted by mail add 5c per doz.; 25c per 100 for postage.)



Poeticus Ornatus Narcissus

**Jonquils**

These are much prized for their delicious fragrance, their graceful stems and blossoms, their rich golden hue and their fine hardy character.

Postage 5c per dozen.

Per doz. Per 100

<b>Single:</b> very fragrant, rich golden yellow, cluster of small flowers.....	.15	\$1.00
<b>Double Jonquil:</b> very sweet scented, heads small but very double and rich golden yellow .....	.35	2.50
<b>Campionelle:</b> large yellow flowers, fine for forcing, fragrant.....	.20	1.25
<b>Rugulosus:</b> the largest of the jonquils, rich golden yellow, broad perianth with wrinkled cup.....	.25	1.50

**Japanese Iris**  
(*Iris kaempferi*)

By universal consent this species of Iris is given first place. It is one of the finest flowers we have, coming in various tints of blue, lavender, crimson, rose and lilac, as well as the dark blues and violets. The bulbs are perfectly hardy and the plants are very easily grown in any garden where there is good soil and plenty of water. The blossoms vary from 8 to 10 inches in diameter and are borne on long graceful stems, blooming profusely in June and July. Bulbs are ready for delivery some time in December. We have some beautifully colored pictures of these to show at our store.

In separate sorts—lavender, blue, white claret, purple, etc. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

In mixed colors, 20c each; \$2.00 per doz.

(Bulbs too heavy to mail, postage 15c each.)

**Poeticus Narcissus**

(If wanted by mail add 5c per doz.; 25c per 100 for postage.)

To many these beautiful Poet's Narcissus are the favorite type. They are certainly flowers of great beauty, with their broad, pure white petals and small yellow centers. We offer two varieties.

**Poeticus** (Pheasant's Eye): the old-time favorite ..... 25c per doz.; \$1.25 per 100

**Poeticus Ornatus:** an earlier flowering and more hardy sort with large flowers of greater substance; an improvement ..... 25c per doz.; \$1.50 per 100

**Polyanthus Narcissus**

(If wanted by mail add 12c per doz. for postage, and for Chinese lilies 4c each.)

A very fragrant, sweet-scented type of the easiest culture, and very early. Can be grown out doors, in pots or in a dish of water with coarse gravel. The stems each bear from 10 to 20 blossoms at the top.

**Paper White Grandiflora:** beautiful snowy white blossoms with large petals deliciously fragrant, the earliest to bloom. Will blossom out of doors by Christmas if planted in October. ....

.... 30c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000

**Grand Monarch:** broad white perianth with primrose cup. A large flower and vigorous grower. ....

.... 45c per doz.; \$3.00 per 100

**Grand Soleil D'Or:** a rich clear yellow with orange cup. Very fragrant and handsome. ....

.... 6c each; 50c per doz.; \$3.00 per 100

**Chinese Sacred Lily (single):** perianth white, cup yellow, very free flowering and fragrant. Can be had in flower in dishes with water and coarse gravel from December to March. We handle the finest selected bulbs imported from China.

Postpaid 13c each. .... 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$2.25 per basket of 30 bulbs

Extra size, 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

**COLLECTIONS — Various Narcissus.** A splendid mixture of the best Single Trumpet Daffodils. 45c per doz.; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

A splendid mixture of the best Double Daffodils. 35c per doz.; \$2.00 per 100; \$18.00 per 1000.

A splendid mixture of all Daffodils and Narcissus. 25c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100; \$15.00 per 1000.

**German Iris**

Postage 10c per dozen.

This variety is commonly called "Flags," and is a beautiful flower, as handsome as an orchid, and, while the native blue and white are the most common they can now be had in a great variety of colors and tints.

All the following varieties. 85c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100. Bulbs do not ripen until November.

**Bouquet Royal:** creamy white.

**Canary Bird:** standard yellow, falls bronze, striped white.

**Empress Victoria:** pale blue standards, falls purplish blue.

**Gloire de Hellebore:** beautiful porcelain blue.

**Gracious:** crimson reticulated white, very fine.

**Innocenza:** ivory white.

**Khartup:** purple, standards blue.

**Madame Chereau:** white, elegantly frilled azure blue at the edges.

**Maori King:** rich golden yellow standards, falls velvety crimson margined gold.

**Mrs. Horace Darwin:** white slightly veined violet base.

Mixtures of all the above varieties and many others not listed separately. .... 75c per doz.; \$5.00 per 100

Mixture, mostly blue shades. .... 45c per doz.; \$3.00 per 100

## Iris—Fleur-de-Lis

Iris comes in two very distinct classes, one has creeping root-stocks and evergreen leaves like the German, Japanese, and Susiana Mourning Irises. The other has a bulb such as English and Spanish Iris. All have fine handsome flowers, with colorings like an orchid, and are among the best cut flowers.

The bulbs should be planted 2 or 3 inches deep and 6 inches apart, and for best effect should be in beds or groups of twenty-five to one hundred or more bulbs; the greater the number the finer the effect.

A mulching of coarse manure or straw will facilitate the production of fine long stems and large blossoms.

After flowering, the bulbs may either be lifted or allowed to remain for another season. The varieties contained in our collection are the finest and most distinct in cultivation.

## Spanish Iris

Both Spanish Iris and English Iris are needed in the same garden to give a continuous period of Iris blooms for six weeks. The Spanish sort is the earlier, and also smaller variety; but it is the favorite, many thousands being planted each year. The price is so low that they can be afforded in quantity.

**Alex von Humboldt:** clear blue.

**Belle Chinoise:** very fine yellow.

**Blanche Superbe:** large white flower with a suggestion of pale porcelain shading; one of the best and earliest.

**British Queen:** purest white.

**Cajanus:** pure yellow; large flower, very tall, fine for cutting.

**Chrysolora:** golden yellow, the best of its color in cultivation.

**Darling:** bright blue.

**Gold Cup:** darkest bronze, largest variety, very fine.

**Formosa:** the finest of dark blue.

**Ida:** deep yellow, large flower.

**Louise:** French gray and white, with golden blotch, very beautiful.

**Philomena:** fine large pale blue.

**Reconnaissance:** bronze and orange blended.

**Snowball:** pure white, shading to sapphire at base, with conspicuous golden blotch.

**Splendens:** deep blue.

**Thunderbolt:** dark bronze.

**William I:** fine yellow.

Postage 10c per 100. Per doz. Per 100

<b>Named Varieties</b>	.....	all \$ .15	\$1.00
<b>Mixed Blue Varieties</b>	.....	.15	1.00
<b>Mixed White Varieties</b>	.....	.15	1.00
<b>Mixed Yellow Varieties</b>	.....	.15	1.00
<b>Splendid Mixture of all Varieties</b>	.....	2 doz. for 25c; 100 for 75c; 500 for \$3.00	



Spanish Iris

## English Iris

This beautiful variety grows on tall stout stems and makes a fine florist's flower. The stem is 3 feet and surmounted by most delicately colored flowers 4 inches across. English Iris is taller than the Spanish and has larger flowers. It blooms several weeks later, and care must be used to see that the plants have plenty of water when coming into flower, for this is the season of year when our gardens are just beginning to be dry.

Per doz. Per 100

<b>Argus:</b> beautiful pink and white.....	\$ .40	\$2.50
<b>Bleu Celeste:</b> sky blue.....	.40	2.50
<b>L'Unique:</b> bright claret color.....	.40	2.50
<b>Mont Blanc:</b> pure white.....	.35	2.00
<b>Tollens:</b> dark violet.....	.40	2.50
<b>Mixed colors</b> .....	.25	1.75

(Postage 5c per dozen additional.)

## Susiana Mourning Iris

(Prices are post-paid.)

This is a peculiarly beautiful variety, and quite distinct from all other types and must be seen to be appreciated. It is a combination of silvery gray and dark chocolate and black, grows one foot high and blooms in May. The flowers are very large, being 6 inches across.....15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

# Lilies

## MORSE'S HARDY EASTER LILIES for Out-of-door Planting

Not every one knows that these delightful flowers which are pictured on our back cover can be successfully raised in the open garden without trouble. The presence of an Easter Lily brought into a room will keep it filled with the most delicious perfume for over ten days. The flowers are a glorious pure white, with long trumpets. No wonder this flower was chosen to represent the sacred joy of Easter time, and for most of us it has those associations. Do not think though that the flower in your garden will bloom so early—only *Lilium Harrisii*, forced, will do that; but in June and July you will get these matchless Lilies in full splendor out of doors. 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$8.50 per 100.

Set the bulbs out in November (or as late as February 1st) in a good, deep soil, planting them 5 inches below the top of the ground. The place should be lightly shaded, well drained, but still moist. A mixture of leaf mould will help the texture. No other care is required. Do not over-water, especially when first set out and in winter; also sprinkle with tobacco dust several times in summer to keep off aphids.

### HARDY ST. JOSEPH LILY or CANDIDUM

**Annunciation Lily; Madonna Lily:** the flowers are pure snow-white and very fragrant, borne on long stems. It is a valuable variety for forcing; and is a fine early hardy lily to plant out of doors, never failing to bloom well. The flowers do not have quite such long trumpets as the Easter lilies. 15c each; \$1.25 per doz. (Postage 3c each; 25c per doz. additional.)

We have a limited supply of monster bulbs which will give 12 to 18 flowers to each bulb, at..... 25c each; \$2.50 per doz. (Postage 5c each additional)

**Harrisii** (The Bermuda Easter Lily): the flowers are trumpet-shaped, pure white, gracefully formed and delightfully fragrant. This is the lily so much grown by florists for Easter, on account of its very early flowering habit and abundance of bloom. On account of being liable to injury by insects, *Harrisii* Lilies are better grown within doors. At least, bring them in when they are about to flower.....

..... 15c each; \$1.50 per doz

These two lilies must be planted early. Order in September.

All of the following sorts of Lilies are perfectly hardy in the open garden, and well suited to garden culture. Their stately habit, rich and varied colored flowers, often delicious fragrance, and easy culture, render them so distinct from all other hardy plants that no collection, however select, should be without a few of the choicer sorts.

*Candidum* and *Harrisii* are ready for delivery in Sept., and the others in October and November.

If wanted by mail add 3c each, 25c per doz., for postage.

**Auratum** (Gold-banded Lily): one of the finest and most popular of the hardy garden lilies. The blossoms are composed of six large petals of delicate ivory white, studded with spots with a bright golden band running through the center of each petal. The flowers when fully expanded are nearly a foot in diameter are very fragrant and bloom from June to October. 15c and 20c each, and \$1.25 and \$2.00 per dozen, according to size.

**Auratum Pictum:** similar in form to the *Auratum*, but tipped with crimson at the ends of the yellow rays, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Auratum Platycyphllum:** similar to *Auratum*, but larger and finer in all respects. Especially noted for its broad lustrous leaves, which give double attraction. The petals are studded with crimson chocolate spots. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Auratum Rubro Vittatum:** one of the finest of all lilies. Its crimson band running through the middle of the petal is so broad that the petals appear to be crimson margined with white; very showy and handsome. The flowers are 10 to 12 inches across, of bright crimson and white. Illustrated in last year's catalogue... 50c each; \$5.00 per doz.

**Elegans Atrosanguinea:** a dark blood-red lily of handsome appearance. *Elegans* lilies are all borne erect on a stem about 2½ feet. 20c each; \$2.00 per doz.

**Elegans Incomparabile:** the richest red known in lilies, a deep crimson slightly spotted black. Flowers large and freely borne. 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Elegans Orange:** a very early, flowering lily, doing well in any location, about 2 feet high, flowers are orange in color..... 20c each; \$1.75 per doz.

**Henryi** (The Yellow Speciosum): a rare lily from China, hardy and free flowering, often with 17 blossoms on a stem. Flowers are a rich apricot yellow slightly spotted with brown..... 75c each

**Humboldt Magnificum:** a remarkably fine variety 5 feet high and bearing profusely large flowers of golden yellow spotted with purple..... 50c each

**Krameri:** a beautiful large pink lily, distinct from all others. The flowers shade lighter and are very fragrant..... 20c each; \$2.00 per doz.

**Leopard Lily:** the native Tiger Lily found growing in the mountains in all parts of California; height 3 to 4 feet. Flowers yellow orange with dark spots..... 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.

**Longiflorum Giganteum:** a fine type of Japanese Easter lily; about 2 weeks later than *Multiflorum*. 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.; and 25c each; \$2.00 per doz.

**Longiflorum Multiflorum:** an early flowering type of the Japanese Easter lily. Pure white trumpet-shaped flowers. Splendid for growing in pots and for outdoor planting. 15c each; \$1.00 per doz.; extra large bulbs, 20c each; \$1.75 per doz.

**Philippine:** a new, rare, hardy lily, grows two feet high and bears snow-white flowers with very long slender trumpets. 10 inches long. Is a much admired variety. Blooms in August. Bulbs ready in January..... Postpaid, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Redwood Lily** (L. Rubescens): A beautiful native lily, tall and slender, growing high on inaccessible ridges among the chaparral. This lily has the most exquisite fragrance of any lily. The flowers open white, dotted purple, and soon change to deep purple and then to wine color. The Washington lily closely resembles it... 40c each; \$4.00 per doz.

**Rubellum:** of dwarf habit, bearing several beautiful rose-pink flowers. Come into flower early. It does best in sandy loam..... 20c each; \$2.00 per doz.

**Speciosum Album:** one of the most beautiful and easily grown lilies we have. The flowers are of immense size and pure white. Plants grow from 2 to 4 feet high..... 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Speciosum Rubrum:** this is the tall light red lily often seen in florists' windows. It is perfectly hardy in the open garden and is a strong and vigorous grower. Plant in well drained soil in a partially shaded place. The lily blooms in July and August, having a spike 4 feet tall with bright lilies of light crimson and white, the petals recurved..... 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$3.50 per 100

**Speciosum Rubrum Magnificum:** this variety is much more crimson in color than the ordinary *Rubrum* and is heavily spotted..... 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100

**Tigrinum (Tiger Lily):** fine showy blossoms, brilliant orange spotted with black. The Tiger lily is one of the best for out of doors, for it is perfectly hardy and will last for years in the garden, each year sending up its black and orange flower spike..... 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

**Tigrinum Flora Plena** (Double Tiger Lily): similar to *Tigrinum*, but double.... 15c each; \$1.25 per doz.

**White Calla Lily** (*Calla Ethiopica*): the well known and popular white calla. According to size..... 50c, 75c and \$1.00 per doz.

**Yellow Calla Lily** (*Calla Elliottiana*): The foliage is dark green with a number of translucent white spots, and the flowers a bright yellow. A very handsome sort. According to size, 25c to 35c each; \$2.50 to \$3.50 per doz.



Our Store, 125-127 Market St., in Bulb Season

You are invited to call and inspect our Bulbs, and see the many-colored pictures of different Bulbs which we have to show.

We shall be in our new store when this catalogue is issued, at Nos. 125-127 Market St.

## Miscellaneous Bulbs and Flowering Roots

### **AGAPANTHUS, UMBELLATUS (Blue African Lily)** (Too heavy to mail.)

The old favorite, flowers bright blue borne in clusters of 20 to 30. The flower stalks frequently attain a height of 3 feet, the flowers opening in succession for a long period during the summer and autumn. Ready for November delivery.....

25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

**Agapanthus Albus:** a new white variety, very beautiful..... 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

### **ALLIUM, AUREUM**

(Postage 5c per doz.)

**Molly or Golden Allium:** one of our most showy border plants; perfectly hardy, bearing large umbels of golden yellow flowers in June. A very old favorite, and fine for naturalizing in the garden where it forms large clumps. Height, 1 foot..... 15c per doz.; \$1.00 per 100

### **AMARYLLIS**

(Postage 15c per bulb.)

Ornamental plants with large, fragrant, beautifully colored flowers. Frequent disturbance of the roots should be avoided, as this will prevent free flowering. Sends up a flower stalk without leaves in August, to a height of 2½ feet; very fragrant.

**Belladonna Major:** beautiful soft rose..... 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Formosissima:** charming dark crimson..... 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.

### **APIOS TUBEROSA**

(December delivery. Prices post-paid.)

This is a climber and is like a miniature Wistaria, growing about 10 feet high and bearing clusters of rich, deep purple flowers, which are sweetly scented..... 50c per doz.

### **ANEMONES**

These are shown on our front cover this year. See inside of front cover for special offers.

**St. Brigid:** semi-double Irish Anemone..... 40c per doz.

**Anemone Japonica or Japanese Windflower**  
(December delivery.)

These handsome Anemones are fall flowering, blooming from August till October. The tall plants, 2½ to 3 feet, make fine cut flowers.

**White, single..... 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.**  
**Pink, single..... 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.**

### **BEGONIA (Tuberous-Rooted)** (Prices include postage.)

For **January** delivery. Splendid pot plants, and equally useful for bedding purposes; very free flowering, doing best with partial shade.

We offer Begonias in the following separate colors: **Dark rose, light pink, salmon, scarlet, white and yellow.**

**Double:** any color or mixed..... 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

**Single:** any color or mixed..... 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.

**Begonia Crispa:** a new sort with very large single flowers beautifully frilled on edge and crested. Try some of these new ones. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

### **BRODIAEAE (Cal. Wild Flower)**

(Prices include postage)

**Coccinea** (Floral Fire Cracker): this bears a cluster of flowers 1½ to 2 inches long on a tall scape. The color is a bright red, tipped with pea green. Found wild in the canons about Mendocino county in June; very pretty and bright..... 40c per doz.; \$2.50 per 100

**Laxa** (Ithuriel's Spear): bears a cluster of twenty or more of clear blue flowerets on a stem 1 to 2 feet high. One of the beautiful wild flowers of California in May and June. 20c per doz.; \$1.25 per 100

# Miscellaneous Bulbs and Flowering Roots—Continued

**CALADIUM OR ELEPHANT'S EAR**

(For January delivery.)

One of the most effective plants for beds or for setting out upon the lawn. When full size the leaf stalks are 6 feet high and the leaves themselves monstrous. Give plenty of water and rich compost. Caladiums are tender to frost, but come up again next year..... 12c each; \$1.25 per doz.  
(Postage 7c each additional.)

**CALOCHORTUS (Cal. Wild Flower)**

(Price includes postage)

**Golden Bell** (Calochortus Amabilis). These are dainty flowers with their drooping yellow globe-like heads. The foliage is slender and light green, and the whole makes one of the most delightful and modest little flowers. Stems 12 inches high, 3 flowers to a stem. A newly listed California wild flower..... 25c per doz.; \$1.50 per 100

**Mariposa Tulips** (also called Mariposa Lilies): these famous California wild flowers possess much delicacy and brilliancy of coloring. They somewhat resemble a tulip in shape, are of many colors, shades and markings. Planted in the open border, they flower in June and July. Mixed Calochortus..... 30c per doz.; \$2.00 per 100

**COLCHIUM (Meadow Saffron)**

(Autumn Flowering Crocus)

**Autumnalis:** the flowers come through the ground in the fall without the leaves which appear next spring. Very similar to a crocus; the colors of the flowers being white, purple, rose striped, etc.

**Mixed Colors** ..... 50c per doz.

(Price includes postage)

**CROCUS**

(Postage 15c per hundred)

Should be planted liberally in lawns and grass plots, where they will flower very early in the spring, before mowing.

Per doz. Per 100

Blue and Purple, mixed.....	\$ .10	\$ .60
Whites, mixed .....	.10	.60
Striped Varieties, mixed.....	.10	.60
Yellow, mixed.....	.10	.60
Yellow, large size.....	.15	1.00
King of the Blues: extra large flower....	.15	1.00
Queen of the Whites: extra large flowers	.15	1.00
Splendid mixed, a finely proportioned mixture of all the best varieties.....	.10	.50

**CROWN IMPERIALS (Fritillaria Imperialis)**

(Postage 3c each)

Well known spring blooming, stately, hardy border plants with clusters of immense pendant bell-shaped flowers, surmounted with a tuft of green leaves. They are very effective, and if left undisturbed for years they form gigantic and picturesque groups, bearing gorgeously colored flowers.

Mixed..... 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

**CYCLAMEN, PERSICUM GIGANTEUM**

(For December Delivery)

(Prices are postpaid)

A beautiful winter greenhouse or pot plant, with beautiful green leaves, and long graceful stems bearing curiously winged blossoms in white and crimson shades. While these may be grown from seed, the best flowers are produced from bulbs.

Each Per Doz.

Rose, giant flowered.....	\$ .20	\$2.00
White, giant flowered.....	.20	2.00
Crimson, giant flowered.....	.20	2.00

**Mixed Colors**, giant flowered..... 20 1.75

**DIELYTREA OR "BLEEDING HEART"**

(For December delivery)

(Postage 3c each)

One of the most ornamental of spring-flowering plants, with long, drooping racemes of heart-shaped flowers. If potted in December, left outside till it has formed new roots and then brought in to a gentle heat it may be had in flower in the greenhouse in February and March.

**Spectabilis:** magnificent racemes of pink and white flowers..... 20c each; \$2.00 per doz.

**FREESIAS**

(For September and October delivery. Prices are postpaid)

Greatly prized for the delightful fragrance of the delicately colored flowers, which, when cut, remain in good condition for a long time in water. Flowers are borne on stems from 9 inches to 2 feet high in early winter if planted in September. The larger bulbs bear more flowers.

Per doz. Per 100

Refracta Alba: pure white delightfully fragrant.....	\$ .15	\$1.25
Extra large bulbs.....	.25	1.75
Leichtlinii: large fragrant, light yellow.....	.30	2.00
Scarlet: a dazzling rosy carmine color, with a dark crimson spot on three lower petals (December delivery).....	.25	1.75

**GLADIOLUS**

(For September and November delivery. Prices are postpaid)

**Early Flowering Sorts:** these are more slender and somewhat smaller sorts. They bloom early and are largely used for cut flowers, especially on Decoration Day. These early gladioli are perfectly hardy and are beautiful both as cut flowers and in a bed. We have several new sorts this year. (For other varieties of Gladiolus see our annual catalogue issued in December.)

**Blushing Bride:** a very delicate ivory white with three crimson flakes on lowest petals; 24-inch stems; ready in September. 25c doz.; \$1.50 per 100

**The Bride:** ready in September. Pure white, very handsome and good to force..... 25c per doz.; \$1.50 per 100

**Rosea:** like the above colored pink..... 25c per doz.; \$1.75 per 100

**Cardinalis, Mixed:** this has many pink and red shades with a blotch at the base of each petal..... 25c per doz.; \$1.50 per 100

**GLOXINIAS**

(For December delivery. Prices are postpaid)

Most charming greenhouse plants of dwarf habit. Their flowers, often 3 to 4 inches across, are produced in greatest profusion, and are of the most exquisite and gorgeous colors, many of which are magnificently spotted, mottled and blended. They bloom continuously for months, and by starting at intervals, a succession of their splendid flowers may be had nearly the whole year round.....

**Red, Blue or White**..... 15c each; \$1.50 per doz.

**HYACINTHUS CANDicans**

(Postage 3c per bulb)

Free growing, summer-flowering plants with flower stems 2 to 4 feet high, each bearing from 20 to 30 large white bell-shaped flowers; splendid for groups..... 7c each; 75c per doz.

**IXIAS (African Corn Lily)**

(Prices are postpaid)

The Ixia is a beautiful little winter-flowering bulb, with slender graceful spikes of bloom. The colors are rich, varied and beautiful.

Per doz. Per 100

**Crateroides Major:** brilliant scarlet, good for forcing..... \$ .40 \$2.75

**Viridiflora:** bright soft green with velvety black center..... .40 3.00

**Wonder (Rosea Plena):** deep pink flowers, double and very fragrant..... .35 2.50

**Splendid Mixture** of all varieties containing a great many varieties and colors..... .20 1.00

**LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY**

(For December and January delivery)

For pot culture or forcing by those who have conservatories these cannot be excelled, producing large fragrant spikes, crowded with bells, and an abundance of dark green foliage.

**Finest Selected Pips** for forcing, or for planting either in pots or out of doors; the finest selected grade, bundles of 25, 65c (75c postpaid); per 100, \$2.50; per 1,000, \$21.00.

**Clumps** for outdoor planting, 60c each. Add 10¢ for postage.

**Retarded Pips:** we put in cold storage each year several thousand of the best pips which we can take out at any time during the summer when we get orders for 200, or preferably 500..... \$2.75 per 100

# Miscellaneous Bulbs and Flowering Roots—Continued

## MONTBRETIA

(Prices are postpaid)

A summer flowering bulb, bearing bright colored flowers on long, graceful spikes, foliage is long and graceful, and resembles that of the gladiolus. Valuable for cutting, and makes a beautiful display in a clump on the lawn or for borders. Blooms July to September.

Per doz. Per 100

**Crocusmiaeflora:** fine golden orange....\$ .20 \$1.25**Etoile de Feu** (Star of Fire): bright vermillion, center of yellow outside red .25 1.50

## MUSCARI PLUMOSUS

**Feathered Hyacinths**, bears plume-like graceful spikes, 9 to 12 inches high, purple in color. 20c per doz.; \$1.25 per 100. Postage 5c per doz. additional.

## ORNITHOGALUM

**Arabicum:** a beautiful variety, throwing up a tall spike bearing numerous large, milk-white, star-shaped flowers, with a black center, and having a distinct aromatic perfume. They are of the easiest culture. 5c each; 50c per doz.; \$4.00 per 100.

## OXALIS

(Prices are postpaid)

Charming little half-trailing or bushy plants, adapted for pot culture, hanging baskets and borders. The foliage alone is very attractive. They flower all spring and summer.

Per doz. Per 100

**Bermuda Buttercup:** pure bright yellow.....\$ .25 \$1.50**Bowell:** bright rosy crimson..... .25 1.50

The Grand Duchess type is a California variety of dwarf, sturdy growth, with fine large flowers, very free flowering.

**Grand Duchess:** white.....\$ .25 \$1.50**Grand Duchess:** pink..... .25 1.50**Grand Duchess:** lavender..... .25 1.50**Grand Duchess:** mixed..... .20 1.25

Mixture of all varieties..... .15 1.00

## RANUNCULUS

(Prices are postpaid)

These make very double flowers about 9 inches high and go well with Anemones in the garden. Ranunculus come in a wide range of attractive colors; bright shades of crimson, purple, black, yellow, white. The bulbs have curious finger-like projections which should be planted pointing down also soak the bulbs in water over night. Plant in a cool partly shaded position. Our collection of named Ranunculus gives the very colors you may have wanted for a place in your garden and some rare ones.

Per doz. Per 100

**Hercules:** giant white.....\$ .40 \$...**Jaune Supreme:** yellow..... .35 2.50**Mont Blanc:** white..... .35 2.00**Queen of the Netherlands:** a dark violet black..... .35 2.00**Romano:** bright scarlet..... .35 1.75**Souci Dore:** brownish orange..... .30 1.75**French Mixed:** fine large, loosely double flowers, very vigorous growers, in gorgeous colors..... .20 1.00**Persian Mixed:** very double rose-shaped flowers.... .20 1.00**Turban Mixed:** double peony-shaped flowers in many bright colors..... .20 1.00

## SCILLA OR WOOD HYACINTH

(Price is postpaid)

Charming little bell-shaped flowers that do well under trees or in other shady situations; blossoms very early.

**Siberica:** exquisite blue, adapted for edging and for growing with crocus..... .20c per doz.; \$1.25 per 100

## SNOWDROPS

(Prices are postpaid)

Nothing is more beautiful than these little modest flowers, appearing in earliest spring. If dotted throughout the lawn, the effect is most charming, or grown in a bed where they can be left undisturbed from year to year they will make a fine showing and may be used as a cut flower, especially the giant sort.

Per doz. Per 100

**California Giants:** a vigorous growing, large-flowered variety.....\$ .20 \$1.00**Single Flowering** ..... .15 .90**Double Flowering** ..... .25 1.50

## SPARAXIS

(Price is postpaid)

Beautiful flowers borne on long, graceful spikes; the colors are of the most telling combinations and of the brightest shades. They are tigered, blotched, spotted, streaked and flushed in the most diverse and pleasing manner.

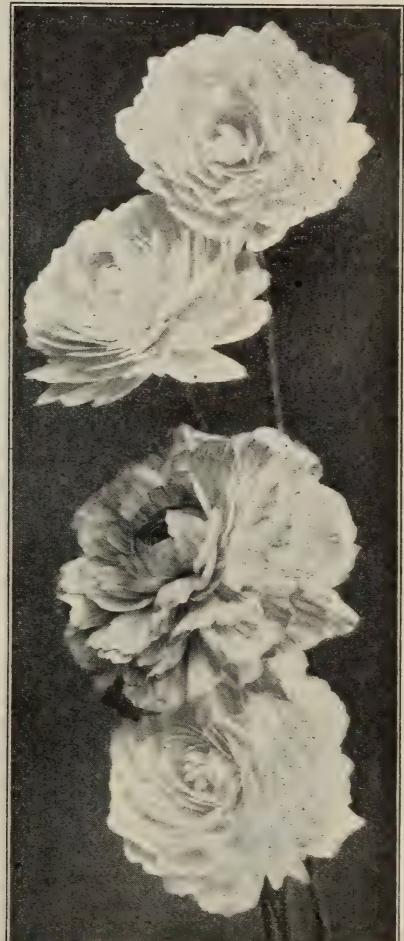
**Mixed colors**.....15c per doz.; 75c per 100

## SPIREA

(Postage 10c each bulb)

(For December delivery)

While these can be used for outdoor planting, where they will bloom during the summer, their great value is as a house plant.

**Japonica:** produces beautiful sprays of silvery white plumes .....
**Japonica Compacta Multiflora:** dwarf, and a dense flowerer; clumps; too heavy to mail.....
**Gladstone** (Hybrid Astilboides): the best of all the Spireas, bearing snow-white plumes in great profusion.....
**Spireas**, bearing snow-white plumes in great profusion.....35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

Ranunculus

**Queen Alexandra:** a splendid new Spirea of a beautiful pink color; a strong grower and free flowerer. When grown indoors it should be kept cool when flowers are developing, this is necessary to bring out the delicate coloring....50c each; \$4.50 per doz.

## TRITELEIA

(Price is postpaid)

A very pretty flower for border or bed, 6 to 8 inches high star-shaped, color white suffused with blue, hardy and perpetual..15c per doz.; \$1.00 per 100

## TUBEROSES

(Postage 12c per doz.)

(For January delivery)

The flowers grow on stems 18 inches high, each stem bearing a dozen or more flowers. They are pure white waxlike, and very fragrant.

**Double Dwarf Pearl**.....40c per doz.; \$3.00 per 100

# Sweet Peas



## MARGARET MADISON A Giant Azure-Blue

One of our new Sweet Peas  
for 1912

For early Spring blossoms,  
sow the seed in November and  
December.

### NOVELTIES

**Margaret Madison:** the most distinct Sweet Pea novelty of the season. Very large, wavy, best form Spencer; light azure, blue self. Sealed packet 25c.

**Mary Garden:** light buff pink, giant Spencer, throwing 50% to 75% of double blossoms. Unique in form; beautiful in color. Sealed packet 25c.

**Duplex Crimson King:** double bright blood red. Throws fully 75% double blossoms of immense size. A grand bouquet Sweet Pea of giant double Spencer type. Sealed packet 25c.

### EARLY FLOWERING OR CHRISTMAS SWEET PEAS

This class of Sweet Peas will frequently come into bloom in 8 to 10 weeks after sowing the seed. If sown in October, one can have good blossoms by Christmas, and if sown at intervals Sweet Peas can be had nearly the year round. Only recommended for early Fall planting and for greenhouse forcing.

	Pkt.	Oz.	1/4-lb.
Burpee's Earliest White: white; black seeded.....	\$ .05	\$ .10	\$ .25
Christmas Captain: purple and blue.....	.10	.25	.75
Earliest of All: rose and white.....	.05	.10	.20
Christmas Stella Morse: primrose suffused blush.....	.10	.25	.75
Earliest Sunbeams: primrose.....	.05	.10	.25
Le Marquis: navy blue .....	.05	.15	.50
Mont Blanc: white seeded white.....	.05	.10	.20
Mrs. Alex Wallace: pinkish lavender.....	.05	.15	.50
Mrs. C. H. Totty: lavender.....	.10	.25	.75
Mrs. E. Wilde: crimson scarlet.....	.10	.25	.75
Mrs. F. J. Delanskey: light pink.....	.10	.25	.75
Mrs. Hannan: rose crimson.....	.10	.25	.75
Mrs. Wm. Sim: buff pink.....	.10	.25	.75
Christmas Mixture: a splendid mixture of all early flowering varieties; all shades and colors.....	.10	.20	.60

### SELECT LIST OF GRANDIFLORA AND ECKFORD VARIETIES

We grow a great many other varieties and can supply same if asked for, but this list is what we consider the cream of them all. (Price of each is 5c per packet except when noted otherwise.)

	Oz.	1/4-lb.	1 Oz.	1/4-lb.
Apple Blossom: crimson pink; wings white tinted with pink.....	\$ .10	\$ .20	\$ .10	\$ .20
Aurora: orange pink and white striped and flaked .....	.10	.20	.10	.25
Black Knight: very deep glossy maroon .....	.10	.20		
Countess of Cadogan: standard purple, wings clear blue .....	.10	.20		
Dorothy Eckford: pure white, large shell shape .....	.10	.25		
Dobbie's Mid Blue: a very clear true blue .....	.15	.50		
Helen Pierce: marbled blue on white.....	.10	.30		
Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon: clear delicate primrose yellow .....	\$ .10	\$ .20		
Janet Scott: clear pink and buff.....	.10	.25		
King Edward VII, (Improved Firefly): the best bright red .....			.10	.25
Lady Grisel Hamilton: soft lavender, tinted mauve .....			.10	.25
Lord Nelson: very deep "Navy Blue" ..			.15	.40
Lottie Eckford: white, shaded lilac and edged deep blue .....			.10	.20
Lovely: deep pink at base, shading lighter pink and delicate flesh at edges .....			.10	.20

For fuller information and cultural directions about Sweet Peas, send for C. C. Morse & Co's  
SPECIAL SWEET PEA BOOKLET—Mailed Free

# Sweet Peas—Continued

(5c per pkt. except where noted otherwise.)

	1 Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ -lb.
<b>Midnight:</b> very deep blue or violet		
Darkest of all varieties.....	\$ .10	.25
<b>Miss Willmott:</b> bright orange pink showing veins of deeper tint.....	.10	.25
<b>Millie Maslin:</b> a new variety; a new shade of crimson red.....	.10	.25
<b>Mrs. Walter Wright:</b> rosy purple self.....	.10	.25
<b>Othello:</b> deep maroon and shell shape	.10	.20
<b>Phenomenal:</b> blue and lavender shaded on white, large and fluffy; called Orchid Flowering, .....	Pkt., 10c	.25 .60

	1 Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ -lb.
<b>Prima Donna:</b> very popular clear pink	\$ .10	.20
<b>Prince of Wales:</b> brilliant rose crimson	.10	.20
<b>Queen Alexandra:</b> the new bright scarlet	.10	.25
<b>Shasta:</b> large fluted, pure white.....	.10	.25
<b>St. George:</b> the sensational new flame color. Brightest of all Sweet Peas..	Pkt., 10c	.20 .50
<b>Best Large Flowering, Mixed:</b> the best possible mixture of all the newest and best Grandiflora and Eckford varieties. Well balanced and complete as to colors and shades....Oz. 10c; $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 20c; 1 lb. 45c		

## WAVED OR SPENCER TYPE SWEET PEAS

### Morse's First Choice

This list comprises only the very choicest waved varieties. All are of immense size, very wavy and all have long stems and bear usually four blossoms to the stem.

	Pkt	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ -lb.		Pkt	Oz.	$\frac{1}{4}$ -lb.
<b>Asta Ohn:</b> pinkish lavender self..	\$ .10	\$ .25	\$ .75	<b>Miriam Beaver Seedlings:</b> apricot pink .....	\$ .15	\$ ....	\$ ....
<b>Apple Blossom Spencer:</b> rose and primrose tinted pink .....	.10	.25	.75	<b>Mrs. Rountzahn:</b> apricot and straw deeper edge .....	.10	.25	.75
<b>America Spencer:</b> new and fine bright red and white striped..	.10	.25	.75	<b>Marie Corelli:</b> brilliant rose carnation .....	.10	.25	.75
<b>Aurora Spencer:</b> orange pink striped on white.....	.10	.35	1.00	<b>Mrs. Sankey Spencer:</b> black seeded white .....	.10	.25	.75
<b>Beatrice Spencer:</b> buff, pink and rose, deeper wings .....	.10	.25	.75	<b>Othello Spencer:</b> very dark maroon .....	.10	.25	.75
<b>Countess Spencer:</b> original and best pink. The Queen of all Sweet Peas .....	.05	.25	.75	<b>Primrose Spencer:</b> pale yellow.....	.10	.25	.75
<b>Captain of the Blues Spencer:</b> pure purple, margin of petals is marbled .....	.10	.25	.75	<b>Queen Victoria Spencer:</b> black seeded primrose .....	.10	.25	.75
<b>Dainty Spencer:</b> white with pink edge .....	.10	.25	.75	<b>Ramona Spencer:</b> ivory white, striped blush carmine .....	.10	.25	.75
<b>Ethel Roosevelt:</b> primrose striped light pink .....	.15	1.00	....	<b>Senator Spencer:</b> ivory white with chocolate and seal brown flakes and stripes .....	.10	.25	.75
<b>Florence Morse Spencer:</b> white shaded flesh and soft pink with deeper margin .....	.10	.25	.75	<b>Tennant Spencer:</b> purple mauve .....	.10	.25	.75
<b>Flora Norton Spencer:</b> bright blue tinted purple .....	.10	.25	.75	<b>W. T. Hutchins:</b> delicate buff and blush pink .....	.10	.25	.75
<b>Geo. Herbert:</b> rose crimson, veined .....	.10	.25	.75	<b>White Spencer Re-selected Strain:</b> giant, pure white, best of its class .....	.10	.25	.75
<b>Helen Lewis:</b> orange pink.....	.10	.25	.75	<b>Morse's Superb Mixture:</b> an extra fine mixture of the above and many other new Spencer Sweet Peas from our trial grounds. 1 lb. \$2.50 .....	.10	.25	.75
<b>King Edward Spencer:</b> best red..	.10	.25	.75				
<b>Lovely Spencer:</b> deep pink at throat shading to blush at edges	.10	.25	.75				

## CUPID OR DWARF SWEET PEAS

Mixture of the best colors and freest bloomers, well proportioned..... Pkt. 5c; oz. 10c;  $\frac{1}{4}$ -lb. 25c

## SPECIAL COLLECTIONS OF SWEET PEAS

**Our "INCOMPARABLE" 25c COLLECTION of Sweet Peas.** This package contains one packet each of the following 7 varieties:

**King Edward VII:** bright red. **Dorothy Eckford:** large white. **Prima Donna:** fine pink. **Lady Grisel Hamilton:** lavender. **Miss Willmott:** orange-pink. **Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon:** primrose. **Countess Spencer:** new giant pink.

**Our "EXCELLENT" 50c COLLECTION of Sweet Peas.** This package contains one packet of these 12 fine varieties:

**Countess Spencer:** mammoth pink. **Queen Alexandra:** new brilliant scarlet.

**Dorothy Eckford:** large white. **Lady Grisel Hamilton:** lavender. **Miss Willmott:** large orange-pink.

**King Edward VII:** bright red.

**Helen Pierce:** blue mottled white. **Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon:** primrose. **Phenomenal:** giant picotee, edged white.

**Othello:** deep maroon.

**Navy Blue:** violet and blue.

**Earliest of All:** the earliest pink and white.

**Our "SPLENDID" \$1.00 COLLECTION of the Best Sweet Peas.** This package contains one packet each of the following 26 varieties—the newest and best—and 1 packet of Morse's Superb Mixture. Varieties are described above:

**King Edward VII:** red. **Dorothy Eckford:** white.

**Countess Spencer:** pink.

**Lady Grisel Hamilton:** lavender.

**Miss Willmott:** orange-pink.

**Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon:**

**St. George:** orange scarlet.

**Helen Pierce:** blue mottled.

**Aurora:** orange-pink striped.

**Queen Alexandra:** scarlet.

**Helen Lewis:** orange-pink.

**Shasta:** fine large white.

**Romolo Piazzanni:** lilac blue.

**Janet Scott:** buff and pink.

**Othello:** deep maroon.

**Navy Blue:** violet and blue.

**Lottie Eckford:** white edged blue.

**Earliest of All:** pink and white.

**Stella Morse:** buff and blush pink.

**Mrs. Geo. Higginson Jr.:** azure blue.

**Morse's Superb Mixture:** Countess Spencer types mixed.

**Lovely:** pink with deep throat.

**Golden Rose:** primrose with soft pink stripes.

**Apple Blossom:** pink and white.

**Lord Roseberry:** bright magenta rose.

**Florence Morse Spencer:** blush white with pink edge.

**White Spencer:** the best white.

**"STANDARD SPENCER COLLECTION."** A collection of 14 packets of the most distinct colors and varieties in the large flowered, wavy class of Sweet Peas. Price \$1.00.

**Asta Ohn:** pinkish lavender.

**Aurora Spencer:** orange-pink, striped.

**Beatrice Spencer:** buff and rose.

**Captain of the Blues Spencer:** purple.

**Margaret Madison:** azure blue.

**George Herbert:** rose crimson.

**Helen Lewis:** orange-pink.

**King Edward Spencer:** pure red.

**Miriam Beaver Seedlings:** apricot pink.

**Mrs. Rountzahn:** apricot and straw.

**Othello Spencer:** dark maroon.

**Primrose Spencer:** pale yellow.

**Countess Spencer:** bright pink.

**White Spencer:** pure white.

# Sweet Peas—Continued

Our "EXTRAORDINARY SPENCER COLLECTION" contains one packet each of all the best Spencer types of the Sweet Pea. Four of these are our latest novelties, just about to be introduced all over America and Europe, and offered here for the first time at retail. There are 28 packets in all. Price . . . . . \$2.50

**America** Spencer: bright red and white striped.

**Apple Blossom** Spencer: rose and primrose.

**Asta Ohn**: lavender and mauve.

**Aurora** Spencer: orange-pink, striped and flaked on white.

**Beatrice** Spencer: rose, pink and buff.

**Captain of the Blues** Spencer: purple and blue.

**Countess** Spencer: (original), pure bright pink.

**Dainty** Spencer: white with pink edge.

**Duplex Crimson King**: double red Spencer.

**Ethel Roosevelt**: primrose striped pink.

**Florence Morse Spencer**: blush with rose margin.

**Flora Norton Spencer**: bright blue.

**Geo. Herbert**: magenta rose.

**Helen Lewis**: orange pink.

**King Edward Spencer**: bright red.

**Margaret Madison**: azure blue Spencer.

**Marie Corelli**: rose carmine.

**Mary Garden**: double buff pink Spencer.

**Miriam Beaver Seedlings**: apricot pink.

**Mrs. Sankey Spencer**: black-seeded white.

**Mrs. Routzahn**: primrose and blush with rose margin.

**Primrose Spencer**: clear, soft primrose.

**Othello Spencer**: deep maroon.

**Rainbow Spencer**: rose and white striped.

**Senator Spencer**: white with chocolate stripes.

**Tennant Spencer**: purplish mauve.

**W. T. Hutchins**: blush and cream.

**White Spencer**: pure white-seeded white.

# Selected List of Vegetable Seeds FOR FALL AND WINTER PLANTING

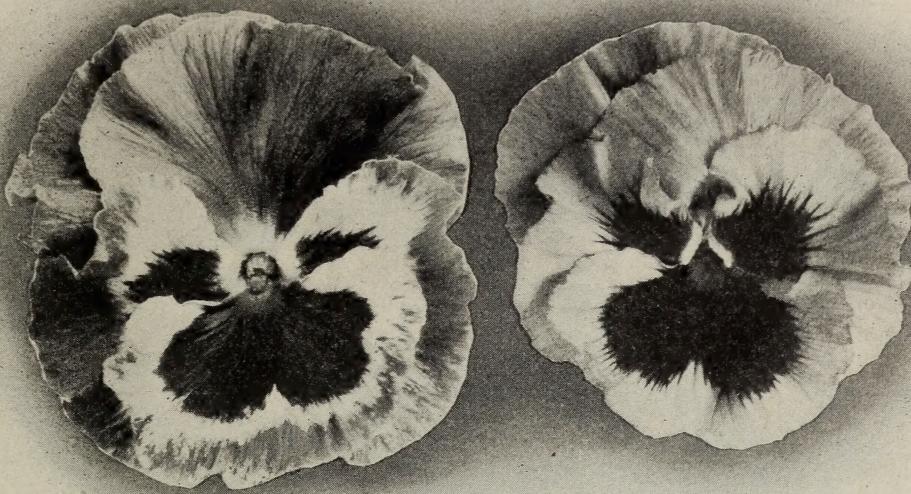
Price per packet 5c except noted otherwise. Prices are post-paid except on peas and onion sets.

If ordered by mail, add 10 cents per pound for postage on Peas and Onion Sets only.

BEETS—Table Sorts	Oz.	¼-lb.	Lb.	ONIONS	Oz.	¼-lb.	Lb.
Blood Turnip . . . . .	.10	.25	.75	Australian Brown . . . . .	.15	.35	\$1.00
Early Eclipse . . . . .	.10	.25	.75	Red Wethersfield . . . . .	.15	.45	1.50
Crosby's Egyptian . . . . .	.10	.30	.90	White Portugal . . . . .	.25	.80	2.50
Long Blood Red . . . . .	.10	.25	.75	Yellow Globe Danvers . . . . .	.15	.40	1.25
Detroit Dark Red . . . . .	.10	.30	.90				Lb.
Broccoli: large, white . . . . .	.40	1.25	4.00				
BRUSSELS SPROUTS							
Half Dwarf . . . . .	.15	.45	1.50				
CABBAGE							
Early Jersey Wakefield . . . . .	.25	.75	2.50	Yellow . . . . .			.20
Early Winingstadt . . . . .	.20	.60	2.00	White . . . . .			.20
Morse's Early Flat Dutch . . . . .	.35	1.00	3.50				
Hollander or Danish Ball head . . . . .	.30	.90	3.00				
Surhead . . . . .	.20	.60	2.00				
CARROT							
Improved Long Orange . . . . .	.10	.25	.75				
Danver's Half Long . . . . .	.10	.25	.90				
Oxheart or Guerande . . . . .	.10	.25	.85				
Early Scarlet Horn . . . . .	.10	.25	.90				
Earliest French Forcing . . . . .	.10	.30	1.00				
CAULIFLOWER	Pkt.	Oz.					
California Wonder . . . . .	.10	\$ .75					
Extra Early Snowball . . . . .	.25	2.50					
Early Paris . . . . .	.10	.75					
COLLARDS	Oz.	¼-lb.	Lb.				
True Georgia . . . . .	.10	\$ .30	\$1.00				
LEEK							
Giant Musselburgh . . . . .	.15	.40	1.25				
LETTUCE							
Hanson, selected strain . . . . .	.15	.45	1.50				
Passion . . . . .	.15	.45	1.50				
Early Curled Simpson . . . . .	.15	.40	1.25				
Big Boston . . . . .	.15	.40	1.25				
Ice Drumhead or Malta . . . . .	.15	.40	1.25				
Iceberg . . . . .	.15	.40	1.25				
New York or Los Angeles . . . . .	.15	.45	1.50				
ONION							
California Extra Early Red . . . . .	.15	.40	1.25				
Improved Yellow Flat Danvers . . . . .	.15	.40	1.75				
Prizetaker . . . . .	.15	.50	1.75				
ONION SETS							
				(Add 10c per lb. for postage)			
PARSLEY	Oz.	¼-lb.	Lb.				
Extra Triple or Moss Curled . . . . .	.10	.20	\$ .60				
PARSNIP							
Hollow Crown . . . . .		.10	.20	.50			
PEAS	(Add 10c per lb. for postage)	Oz.	¼-lb.	Lb.			
American Wonder . . . . .				\$ .25			
Little Gem . . . . .				.20			
Stratagem . . . . .				.25			
Yorkshire Hero . . . . .				.20			
Champion of England . . . . .				.20			
Telephone . . . . .				.25			
RADISH	Oz.	Lb.					
Scarlet Turnip white tipped . . . . .	.10	\$ .90					
Early Scarlet Globe . . . . .	.10	.75					
French Breakfast . . . . .	.10	.75					
Improved Chartier . . . . .	.10	.75					
Long Scarlet . . . . .	.10	.60					
Long White Vienna . . . . .	.10	.75					
Chinese White Winter . . . . .	.10	.90					
SALSIFY							
Mammoth Sandwich Island . . . . .		.20	1.75				
SPINACH							
Thick Leaved . . . . .				\$ .40			
Savoy Leaved . . . . .				.35			
Prickly . . . . .				.30			
TURNIP	Oz.	Lb.					
Early Snowball . . . . .	.10	\$ .75					
Golden Ball . . . . .	.10	.75					
Purple Top Strap Leaf . . . . .	.10	.60					
White Flat Dutch . . . . .	.10	.60					
Purple Top White Globe . . . . .	.10	.75					
Butabaga or Swedes, American Purple Top . . . . .		.10	.50				

# FLOWER SEEDS FOR FALL PLANTING

<b>Asparagus</b> : Sprengerii (100 seeds) . . . . .	\$ .50	Pkt.	
Armeria (Sea Pink) . . . . .	.10		\$ .05
Columbine: many varieties . . . . .	.10		.05
Calceolaria: tigered and spotted, mixed . . . . .	.25		
Calendula: Cape Marigold, fine double mixed . . . . .	.05		
Canterbury Bells (Campanula): Cup and Saucer type mixed . . . . .	.10		
Canterbury Bells: single, mixed . . . . .	.05		
Cineraria: Grandiflora, mixed . . . . .	.25		
Coreopsis: Lanceolata Grandiflora . . . . .	.10		
Cyclamen: white or crimson . . . . .	.25		
Delphinium <i>Formosum</i> : perennial Larkspur, azure blue or bright blue . . . . .	.10		
Daisy ( <i>Bellis Perennis</i> ): Snowball or Longfellow . . . . .	.10		
	.10		
Foxglove: fine mixed . . . . .			
Gaillardia: large, single . . . . .			
Hollyhock: double or Allegheny mixed . . . . .			
Mignonette: Golden Queen or Pure Machet or Mixed . . . . .			
Pentstemon: fine, mixed . . . . .			
Pansies—see page opposite . . . . .			
Primula <i>Sinensis</i> : choice mixed . . . . .			
Snapdragon: Giants, mixed . . . . .			
Sweet Peas—see pages 12 and 13 . . . . .			
Sweet William: single, mixed . . . . .			
Stocks: Emperor or perpetual, mixed . . . . .			
Stocks: Winter or Perennial Brompton . . . . .			

Morse's Prize Strain Pansies about  $\frac{3}{4}$  natural size from photograph.

## Morse's Superb Pansies

Pansies do particularly well in our cool even climate. If sown where the weather is hot, choose a shaded location and give moist, rich, loamy soil. To get the giant blossoms which can be had in wonderful variety of colors from Morse's Prize Strain Mixture the plants must be transplanted twice, once from the seed box when quite small and again when nearly half grown and be sure to manure or fertilize the soil. Sow pansy seed in autumn as the blossoms are the largest in early spring, and become smaller during the hot months. Morse's Prize Strain Pansies are unequalled.

### **EXTRA FINE GIANT-FLOWERED PANSIES**

We offer in the following colors and varieties, these pansies, which are different from the named sorts listed. They are some of the separate sorts out of our famous "Prize Strain Mixture," and are truly giant in size.

#### **Pure White,**

**White with Dark Center,**

**Hortense Red:** old rose color,

**Pure Yellow,**

**Yellow with Dark Center,**

**Madame Perret:** wine color and white,

**Emperor William:** dark blue,

**Lord Beaconsfield,** purple and lavender,

**Faust:** pure black,

20c per packet; collection of 9 finest sorts, \$1.35.

### **SPLENDID MIXTURES**

**MORSE'S PRIZE STRAIN.** This is a mixture of all the giant-flowered varieties, all the plain colors, faced sorts, ruffled edged, and rare sorts; also the varieties exquisitely marbled, striped and blotched. The seed is saved from Germany's most famous pansy gardens from **EXHIBITION FLOWERS.** PRIZE STRAIN pansies are wonderfully beautiful in every way, and are the very best there are.

Pkt. of 500 seeds, 50c

**Morse's Imperial German Strains Mixed:** a superfine mixture of the choicest German varieties in all colors. Pkt., 25c.

**Bugnot Mixed:** a circular, ruffled, and five-petaled type, with soft, blended colors and tints, veined on the margins and with a dark blotch at the base of each petal. One of the finest sorts. Pkt., 25c.

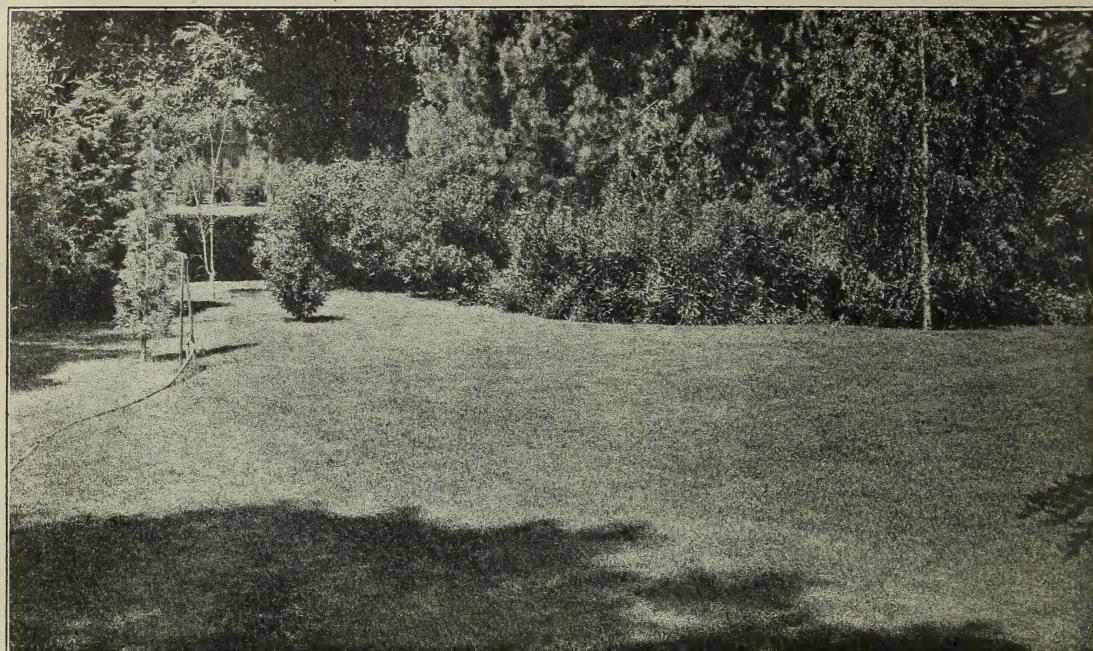
**Cassier's Giant, Mixed:** a splendid mixture of various shades and markings. The blossoms are round and are blotched at the base of the petals. Pkt., 25c. **Giant Trimardeau, Mixed:** the largest flowering type of pansies, called the French strain. The top petals are larger than the three lower ones and are beautifully marked. Pkt., 15c; Oz., \$3.00.

**Giant Odier or Prizé Blotched, Mixed:** a large flowered type, with round blossoms. The petals are all blotched at the base and distinctly margined on the edge. Pkt., 25c.

**Giant Masterpiece:** these new pansies have a most beautiful combination of rich velvety coloring and attractive wavy or ruffled petals. This wavy effect gives a graceful appearance rarely seen in pansies, and while they are really very large, they appear larger on this account. Pkt., 20c.

### **THE BEST SEPARATE COLORS OR NAMED VARIETIES**

	Pkt.	Oz.
<i>Atropurpurea:</i> dark blue .....	\$ .10	\$1.50
<i>Auriculaeflora:</i> fine shades .....	.10	1.50
<i>Azure Blue</i> .....	.10	1.75
<i>Bronze</i> .....	.10	1.50
<i>Emperor William:</i> Ultramarine blue .....	.10	2.00
<i>Fairy Queen:</i> blue with azure margin .....	.10	1.50
<i>Fire King:</i> crimson, yellow edge .....	.10	1.50
<i>Golden Gem:</i> pure yellow .....	.10	2.00
<i>Gold Margined</i> .....	.10	1.75
<i>Golden Yellow:</i> dark eye .....	.10	1.75
<i>King of the Blacks or Faust:</i> black .....	.10	1.75
<i>Lord Beaconsfield:</i> lavender heliotrope and purple .....	.10	1.75
<i>Peacock:</i> peacock blue, white edge .....	.10	2.50
<i>Prince Bismarck:</i> golden bronze .....	.10	1.75
<i>Quadricolor:</i> or Pheasant's Eye .....	.10	1.50
<i>Ruby Bed:</i> rich color .....	.10	2.00
<i>Silver Edged:</i> extra fine .....	.10	2.00
<i>Snow Queen:</i> pure white .....	.10	2.00
<i>Victoria:</i> nearly scarlet .....	.10	2.00
<i>Violet:</i> fine violet, blue .....	.10	1.50
<i>White:</i> pure white, dark eye .....	.10	2.00
<b>Large Flowering Varieties:</b> all Mixed .....	.10	1.25
<b>Striped or Mottled, Mixed</b> .....	.10	1.75
12 packets of any of the above 10c varieties for \$1.00; 6 for 50c.		



## Grasses for Lawns

The finest lawns which have that dark-green rich look both summer and winter, are made from mixtures of lawn grass seeds properly proportioned for the soil and climate. The Golden Gate Park in San Francisco uses each year large quantities of our fine lawn grasses. If you want lawns as good as those in the Park, use our fine seed and as much care as they give, and you can have around your own home just as good a lawn as any in Golden Gate Park.

### MORSE'S CALIFORNIA LAWN MIXTURE

Contains only the finest leaved grasses in the correct proportion to make a good fine turf which will wear as no other can and will still look well summer and winter. Per lb., 35c; per 100 lbs., \$30.00..... Postpaid per lb., 45c.

### PACIFIC RYE GRASS (MORSE'S)

The best grass for a straight lawn in any sandy soil such as is about San Francisco. Pacific Rye Grass is like the hardy Australian Rye Grass, but is longer lived and of a much finer leaf. By express or freight, per lb., 25c; per 100 lbs., \$20.00..... Postpaid per lb., 35c.

### MORSE'S "GOLDEN GATE PARK" LAWN MIXTURE

Contains the more hardy grasses which are used to make the sod for the park playgrounds, where the grass has to endure much tramping over. The mixture also contains a very little white clover. By Express or freight, per lb., 35c; per 100 lbs., \$30.00.... Postpaid per lb., 45c.

Prepare the soil well; this means spade it over and dig in some fertilizer or manure. Let the ground stand a month, or else do not apply fertilizer until grass is three months old. Two weeks before planting roll and water the ground well and before sowing the seed hoe the soil, but do not spade it, and roll again.

Sow the seed evenly and roll it in or sprinkle a good cover of sandy loam over it. Where a roller is not available rake the seed in lightly and press down by patting with spade. Water twice a day until grass comes up. In stiff, clayey soils, if planting in summer, use straw or leaves to protect the germinating seeds until the grass is an inch high. Make the lawn any time of year if there is plenty of water.

Use one pound of seed to 250 square feet of lawn. Keep free from weeds, water well, and cut regularly.

### KENTUCKY BLUE GRASS

Makes a lawn of a dark-green color, which gets yellowish during frosty weather. It forms a fine mat with care and plenty of water and is the best straight lawn grass for all soils except sandy ones. By express or freight per lb., 35c; per 100 lbs., \$32.50..... Postpaid per lb., 45c.

### AUSTRALIAN RYE GRASS

For many years the only lawn grass for sandy soils like San Francisco, and still very popular; makes a very hardy, bright green lawn. By express or freight, per lb., 15c; per 100 lbs., \$10.00..... Postpaid per lb., 25c.

### MORSE'S SPECIAL SHADE MIXTURE

Our mixture is made from natural wood grasses which grow in shaded places, and for making good lawns under trees and in dark corners is unequalled. Per lb., 50c... Postpaid per lb., 60c.

### WHITE CLOVER

This is a little dwarf growing clover used for lawns in many places. The color is dark green, and the roots run deeply. By express per lb., 40c; per 100 lbs., \$38.00.... Postpaid per lb., 50c.

# Nursery Department

AT HAYWARD, Alameda County, we grow many thousands of the finest fruit trees and ornamental shrubs each year. No water is used to irrigate on this rich land and the trees in consequence are extra strong and healthy.

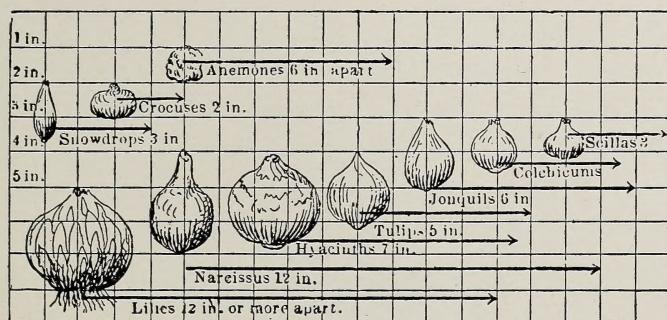


The Nursery Building at Hayward

## C. C. MORSE & CO'S OAKLAND NURSERY SALES YARD

Here we carry in season a full assortment of Fruit Trees, Berries, Ornamental Trees and Shrubs, Palms, Climbing Plants, Ferns, etc. There is someone here to take orders and see personally that they are well packed and shipped.

DIRECTIONS: From Oakland take either Piedmont Ave. or Oakland Ave. cars to Glen Ave. and walk on Glen Avenue to the right one short block. From San Francisco take Key Route and Piedmont train to Piedmont Station just one block away. **The nursery is at Glen and Eleth Aves.**



The bulbs can be planted as soon as they arrive, usually at the end of September. A very good rule when planting is to set the bulb twice its own depth. Make the hole with a trowel and if the soil is heavy a handful of sand at the base of the bulb will greatly assist the roots and prevent the bulb rotting.

The Crocus make beautiful edgings and can be planted close to get a fine effect of color. A splendid continuous display can be had by planting a bed with Daffodils and Tulips alternately, putting the bulbs about 2 inches apart. The Daffodils will bloom first and will be followed by the Tulips.

Hyacinths make a lovely and lasting show and if a little consideration is given to color scheme and design the bed will be greatly admired.

Another pretty effect can be made by sowing some Forget-me-not Victoria in boxes in the fall and setting out the plants between Tulip, Daffodil or Hyacinth bulbs as soon as they appear above ground. The Forget-me-not makes a beautiful ground work.

If specially fine color and flowers are desired the beds may be watered twice a week with some weak liquid manure after the buds are well up and the foliage developed.

## Cultural Directions

The accompanying diagram explains the proper depth to plant bulbs. Outdoor planting should be done early in the fall to secure healthy plants, vigorous foliage and beautiful flowers.

Any good garden soil will grow bulbs well if a little time is spent in preparing the beds before hand.

During September give the ground a liberal coating of well rotted manure and turn over the soil with a spade about a foot deep, mixing the manure with the soil as much as possible and breaking up the lumps fine with the spade.

A dressing of bone meal if given now will prove valuable to the bulbs in the spring.

## C. C. Morse & Co's Garden Guide for 1912

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We want every one who gardens to have a copy and we will gladly mail it in December upon request. If you order by mail from this catalogue, or ordered from last year's Garden Guide you will get a catalogue without writing.

## C. C. Morse & Co's New Store, 125 Market Street

The wooden structure which has served us as a store since shortly after the great fire, we are glad to say has at last been replaced by a handsome new two-story brick building on the same location. We are able to carry a larger stock of all kinds here, and directly over the store is our CATALOGUE MAIL ORDER DEPARTMENT where all mail orders receive the same personal attention which we give to our customers.

We were obliged to move into another block during the summer, so as to give the builders room, and it may be that some of our customers lost track of our whereabouts, but we are now back in our permanent home, No. 125-127 Market Street, and we want you to come and see us there. Besides we have many colored pictures of Bulbs to show you.



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